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## Half F Men's Pointed Price R Toe Shoes!

Hardly Enough to Advertise,  
But Early Comers may get a Pair.

About 100 Pairs In All

Black, tans and oxfords--all sizes 5 to 11. Prices from  
3.00 to 5.00

And will be sold for 1.50 to 2.50.

See South Show Window.

J. H. ANDERSON & CO.

## ...POPULAR PRICE... SHOES.

\$2.00

A Man's  
Calf Shoe

Double sole  
All solid.

The Wear  
Resister

warranted at

\$2.00



\$2.00

A Woman's  
Shoe

A nice smooth  
Dongola, with  
style and wear  
Combined.  
This is the

Petree warranted

\$2.00

Petree & Co. Sign of the Big Boot.

## If We Are Right, In Taking It For Granted

That you will need some harness this month, we want to see you at  
207 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

We have taken special care in the selection of our goods this fall and are confident that we can please you with the quality of our stock. We not only carry the largest and best selected stock of

Harness and Saddlery

in the city, but we devote our entire attention to this line and for that reason we can name prices that will surprise you. Don't fail to

See our Line of Lap-robos.

We bought before the tariff on these goods went into effect and can save you 35 per cent. on your purchase and show you more different patterns than all other houses in the city, combined.

Remember We are here to please you and it is no trouble to show our goods.

F. A. YOST & CO.

Exclusive Harness and Saddlery House.

### SILVER WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelly Celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Their Marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelly celebrated their silver anniversary at their handsome home on Fifteenth street last evening.

A large number of their friends responded to invitations sent out for a reception at eight o'clock.

Among those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Hunt, of Jackson, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Carroll, Nashville; Mrs. Julia Howe and Master William H. Howe, Nashville, and Mrs. A. H. McClure, of Frankfort, Ky.

The tables were beautifully decorated in white and green and the most delicious refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly were the recipients of a large number of elegant presents appropriate to the occasion.

Mr. Kelly is an ardent advocate of the gold standard and one of his intimate friends accompanied a hand some present with the following characteristic letter:

"Knowing your aversion to the 'free and unlimited' we feel some hesitancy in presenting even at your 25th anniversary, a piece of 'white metal,' but by special arrangement the lining is of brass, rather suggestive to an insurance man. With it please accept our congratulations on your useful and happy lives and our best wishes for a still brighter future.

"May life be long  
And sweet as song,  
Your latest stay  
Be bright as day  
At Noon."

This letter is copied by permission without the signature.

Mr. Kelly was married on Nov. 14, 1872, to Miss Mattie McClure, of Frankfort, the ceremony being performed in that city by Rev. J. W. Nesbit.

To them have been born six children, three sons and three daughters. The oldest son, Mr. McClure Kelly, is engaged in the insurance business and occupies a responsible position with one of the best companies, with headquarters at Atlanta.

The second son, Wallace, is a book keeper for one of the local tobacco firms. The oldest daughter, Miss Annie Todd Kelly, graduated from the High School department of the Public Schools last June and is one of Hopkinsville's most beautiful girls. The three smaller children are still in school.

Mr. Kelly is the active member of the insurance firm of Long & Kelly and is one of Hopkinsville's best known and most prominent business men.

### TOUCH LIKE CROESUS.

All Things Turned to Gold for This West Kentucky Argonaut.

A bonanza king was laid to rest in his native West Kentucky land Wednesday afternoon. The mortal remains of one of the argonauts of nearly a half century ago was deposited in a little grave in Auburn.

George Davidson McLean left his home in Madisonville, this State, for the golden-stranded beach of California in 1853. His father gave him \$3,000, his capital in life. On his death he had as many millions, perhaps more, than he had thousands when he went away.

During all those years in the west he never married. Now he is gone and his fortune reverts to his only heir-at-law, his sister, Mrs. George Thomas Blakey, of Auburn, Ky. She is now 71 years of age, three years her late brother's senior. Her husband, who is still living, is 76.

They have three children living. Capt. Wm. McLean Blakey, of Evansville; George Davidson Blakey, the editor of a paper in Arkansas, and Mrs. T. W. Blakey, of Hopkinsville. To them ultimately will come the McLean fortunes.

In the early twenties George D. McLean went to San Francisco, Cal. His journey was from New York by way of the Isthmus of Panama. He began life mining gold with pick and shovel. But ill health and poor fortune drove him from the mines to the prosaic duties of clerk in a store. He worked there for several years when he formed a company for opening the Idaho mines in Grass Valley, Cal.

That was a bonanza strike. The mine yielded the bright yellow ore to the value of \$14,000,000 before it was exhausted.

The Idaho mine was the beginning of Mr. McLean's fortunes.

The bulk of his fortune is in mines quartz and gravel, in Nevada county, Cal. But besides he owns thousands of acres of land, stock in railroads and real estate in the heart of San Francisco. He was one of the builders and a director of the Nevada county narrow gauge road, which runs from Colfax to the city of Nevada. He owned stock in the Wheatland bank, California. In San Louis Obispo county he had a ranch of 23,000 acres, a princely play ground even for a bonanza king. He was a half-owner of 33,000 acres in Santa Barbara county. His holdings in San Francisco, both in real estate and railway stock, were considerable.

The deceased had relatives in Paducah, but none of them attended his funeral.—Paducah Visitor.

### CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Paid Off Bonds—Game Law Expires—Arm Broken—Hunters Depart.

#### Bagging "Bob White."

The bird law expired yesterday and the fields will be full of hunters for the next six weeks. Several hunting parties left this city this morning for a day's sport, and some will be gone all the week. Game of all kinds is reported plentiful and rabbits are said to be more numerous than for ten years.

#### Have Located the Track.

The directors of the Guthrie Fair Association met at Guthrie a few days ago and located their race course. The track will be a mile long and the work of grading will commence at an early date. The contract for sawing lumber for the buildings, fencing, etc., will be let this week. Most of the lumber to be used will be sawed from timber on the association's grounds.

#### Harry Buckner Badly Hurt.

Mr. Harry Buckner, of Longview, happened to quite a serious accident last Friday morning. He drove up to the store at Bolivar and in stepping from the buggy his foot caught in the lap robe. This threw him violently to the ground. He fell on an arm, breaking one of the bones just above the wrist. The limb was set as soon as a surgeon could be procured and Mr. Buckner is now getting along comfortably.

#### Off For Arkansas To-Morrow.

The Christian County Hunting Club postponed their trip to Arkansas from Sunday until to-morrow. They will leave here over the I. C. at 5:20 a. m. and will arrive on the hunting grounds Thursday night. About 20 horses, 40 dogs, tents, several wagons and provisions to last for three weeks will be carried along. One passenger coach and two box cars will be used in transporting the party. Game of all kinds is said to be very plentiful in Arkansas this season and the members of the club who go this time are figuring on a most enjoyable trip.

#### Another Debt Reduction.

As a result of the good management of the Democratic officials, City Treasurer Buckner Leavell yesterday redeemed \$6,000 more of the ten thirty Ohio Valley Railroad bonds not yet due. A like sum was paid off last year and this payment leaves \$108,000 of the \$115,000 issue, although the bonds are not due until 1902. These bonds bear 5 per cent. interest and could only be called in by consent of the holders, the Hopkinsville, City and First National Banks. At this rate the city will be freed from debt in ten or fifteen years, if our affairs remain in the hands of the Democratic party.

#### New Dry Goods Store.

Mr. J. Metz has opened up a large stock of dry goods, notions, clothing, etc., in the store house on Main street, formerly occupied by Max J. Moayon, and is now ready for the trade. Mr. Metz has had much experience in the mercantile business, having for a number of years conducted a store in Trenton, and is thoroughly up on all branches of the business. In selecting his new stock he took great pains to buy just such goods as are stylish and suitable for the trade of this section. He bought for spot cash and this fact enables him to offer great bargains in all lines. It will pay you to see his stock before making your fall purchases.

See ad in this issue of the Kentuckian for full particulars.

#### Some Fine Chrysanthemums.

To Miss Cora Pringle, who lives a few miles east of the city, is due the credit of having raised the finest chrysanthemums ever grown in or about Hopkinsville. Miss Pringle has made a specialty of growing panicles and chrysanthemums for several years, raising them for the pleasure afforded by their cultivation. This year she has about twenty varieties of the handsomest and most desirable chrysanthemums in cultivation. All of the popular shades are represented and many of the blossoms measure five inches in diameter. They have been in full bloom for a week or more and many visitors from the city have gone to Miss Pringle's home to admire the beautiful collection. The young lady who has made such a success with this most popular of autumn flowers, not only possesses exquisite taste and a thorough knowledge of how to raise them, but her experience with them enables her to tell by name all of the leading varieties.

#### Bob Lincoln's Daughter Married.

Chicago, Nov. 13.—Miss Jessie Lincoln, daughter of Hon. Robert T. Lincoln, and Warren Beckwith, a young business man of Mt. Pleasant, Ia., were secretly married at Milwaukee. She admitted her marriage on her return to Chicago.

### ALPHABETICALLY ARRANGED.

The Next Legislature of Kentucky—One Hundred Democrats, Twenty-five Republicans and two Gold Democrats.

In the next General Assembly of Kentucky, which meets the first of January, there will be a two-thirds majority of Democrats in the Senate and a three-fourths majority of Democrats in the House, including five or ten Populists, elected on fusion tickets.

There are two gold Democrats, one in each house, but these will probably go into the Democratic caucus. There are 27 Democrats and 11 Republicans in the Senate, a gain of ten, and 75 Democrats and 25 Republicans in the House, a gain of about 35, classing as Republicans all those who voted against the caucus nominee for Senator.

Of ninety-two members whose occupations are known, there are thirty farmers, twenty-one lawyers, twenty merchants, five preachers, five teachers, five newspaper editors, six doctors and one base-ball magnate, the Hon. Harry C. Pullman, President of the Louisville Base-ball Club.

The list of members appears below. Senators marked with an asterisk are holdovers.

An analysis of the names shows that our old friends Smith, Jones, Brown, Johnson and Williams, are all on hand. There are five preachers not counting one Bishop. There are two Joneses in the Senate and two Sharps and two Morris in the House, divided politically. A big majority of the House members are men new to public life, but the Senate is made up largely of men of more than local prominence.

#### SENATORS AND POSTOFFICE ADDRESSES.

George H. Alexander, Dem., Louisville, lawyer.

\*W. J. Bale, Dem., Hodgenville.

\*John Bennett, Rep., Richmond.

\*Chas. J. Bronston, Dem., Lexington, lawyer.

\*R. B. Brown, Dem., Warsaw.

\*L. A. Carpenter, Rep., Limestone.

L. H. Carter, Dem., Lawrenceburg, lawyer.

\*W. H. Clark, Rep., McKee, Jackson county.

R. C. Crenshaw, Dem-Pop., Pee Dee, Christian county, farmer.

\*Wm. Dingus, Rep., Prestonburg.

\*T. J. Elmore, Dem., Mayfield.

Geo. T. Farris, Dem., Lancaster.

Mc D. Ferguson, Dem., Blandville.

Newton Frazier, Dem., Clark's Station, farmer.

J. C. Gillispie, Dem., Nicholas county, etc.

Wm. Goebel, Dem., Covington, lawyer.

Thos. H. Hays, Dem., Louisville, farmer.

Juo. J. Johnson, Dem., Louisa, lawyer.

R. M. Jolly, Rep., Irvington, miller.

W. O. Jones, Dem., Leitchfield, lawyer.

\*W. H. Jones, Rep., Freedom.

\*J. L. Lay, Dem., Brownsville.

\*C. C. McChord, Dem., Springfield, lawyer.

Hugh McConnell, Dem., Princeton, farmer.

W. E. Miller, Rep., Burksville.

\*H. G. Petrie, Rep., Elkhorn, lawyer.

Rev. A. D. Roberts, Dem., Booneville, preacher.

\*J. D. Rummons, Rep., Mayesville.

Jas. W. Shanks, Dem., Newport.

\*Fenton Sims, Dem., Cadiz, lawyer.

\*Park C. Smith, gold Dem., Sulphur.

\*Christian Stege, Rep., Louisville.

Capt. J. M. Thomas, Dem., Bourbon county, etc., contractor.

Capt. R. S. Triplett, Dem., Owensboro.

Dr. T. G. Turner, Rep., Dunmore, physician.

W. T. Voiles, Dem., Butler, merchant.

Dr. W. G. Welch, Dem., Nicholasville, physician.

J. T. Wilson, Dem., Henderson, farmer.

#### REPRESENTATIVES BY COUNTIES.

J. M. Abele, Dem., Covington.

Rev. Bruce Adkins, Dem., Elliott.

T. H. Armstrong, Dem., Bracken, merchant.

J. C. W. Beckham, Dem., Nelson, lawyer.

Rev. Alvin Bertram, Dem., Clinton, etc.

Geo. H. Bishop, Dem., Newport.

Burford W. Bradburn, Dem., Bowling Green, lawyer.

J. L. Brown, Dem-Pop., Hancock.

A. C. Brown, Dem., Hickman, merchant.

J. E. Cahill, Dem., Mason, farmer.

J. C. Cantrill, Dem., Scott, mer.

Albert H. Charlton, Dem., Louisville, 7th district.

W. T. Chilton, Dem., Henry, mer.

J. Morgan Chinn, Dem., Mercer, lawyer.

Theo. W. Clark, Dem., Hopkins, merchant.

W. H. Cele, Rep., Adair, etc., farmer.

W. H. Cook, Dem., Warren, farmer.

W. W. Combs, Dem., Madison, railroad agent.

Reuben Connor, Dem., Boone, farmer.

A. S. Denton, Dem-Pop., Henderson, farmer.

J. L. Depp, Dem-Pop., Barren.

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